

Sedalia Evening Democrat.

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SEDALIA, MISSOURI, TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 19, 1894.

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"JIMMIE" TO RESIGN

As Receiver for the S. W. & S. Railway.

A TELEGRAM SENT TODAY

Asking Him to Forward His Resignation to Judge Richard Field at Lexington.

MR. TREADWAY IS HERE.

The Green Walker Farm Attached in Behalf of the Bank—A Day's Developments.

A telegram was sent to J. C. Thompson this morning, addressed in care of his attorney in the City of Mexico, requesting him to forward his resignation as receiver for the Sedalia, Warsaw and Southwestern Railway Co. to Judge Richard Field, of the Pettis county circuit court, at Lexington.

The DEMOCRAT's informant is a well known attorney, who thinks the desired action will be taken by "Jimmie" without delay.

Mr. Treadway Here. Dwight Treadway, of St. Louis, arrived from St. Louis this morning and is a guest at Kaiser's.

The gentleman was seen during the forenoon at the office of Jackson & Montgomery, but stated that he had no idea as to what Judge Field would do in the matter of the receivership.

"I have just arrived in the city," he said, "and am waiting for an opportunity to confer with my attorneys in regard to the matter."

Mr. Treadway added that he might return to St. Louis tonight, but he was rather inclined to the belief that he would not get away before noon tomorrow.

Mr. Thompson will undoubtedly forward his resignation as requested, but who will be named as his successor is a question that is causing

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considerable speculation to be indulged in.

No Receiver.

Judge W. S. Shirk, one of the attorneys for the Missouri Pacific, was seen by a DEMOCRAT reporter just before the noon hour and interrogated regarding the receivership problem, but dismissed the subject by remarking that there was no sure thing that any one would be appointed as Mr. Thompson's successor, even in case of his resignation.

The Missouri Pacific has ten days in which to file a motion for a re-hearing, and it is the general belief that this will be done. If so, it is doubtful if the case gets before the supreme court before next fall, and in the meantime matters will remain in statu quo.

Mr. Walker Here.

John R. Walker, United States attorney for the western district of Missouri, was in the city this morning, on his way to Springfield, and was met at the depot by Judge Shirk and County Attorney Hoffman.

The three gentlemen spent the time while the train stopped here in discussing Mr. Thompson's crooked transactions, and the DEM-

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OCRAT has it on excellent authority that the preliminary steps have already been taken looking to the arrest and extradition of the absconding cashier.

Attached a Farm.

The farm known as the Green Walker place, consisting of 317 acres, near Pleasant Green, Cooper county, was sold at trustee's sale yesterday, Sam W. Castle, who bought it some time ago, again becoming the purchaser, the consid-

erably being \$13,000.

Immediately afterwards the property was attached by the sheriff of Cooper county, on a writ sent from Pettis county, in behalf of the First National bank.

Receiver Latimer will endeavor to show that the farm in reality belonged to J. C. Thompson instead of Mr. Castle, but Lawyer Longan, attorney for Mr. Castle, thinks there will be no trouble in beating the case. James T. Montgomery was present at the sale yesterday as attorney for the bank, while J. H. Bothwell was on hand as trustee.

Newkirk and Not Thompson.

J. Q. A. Wentworth is in the city in the interest of the Salmon Falls, New Hampshire, bank, which has a claim of \$3,500 against the First National, in the shape of a note given by B. S. Rembaugh, of the Enterprise mills.

The note in question was placed with the Salmon Falls bank at a discount. Subsequently the note was paid by the maker to the First National, and on May 6, 1886, during Recorder Conner's term of office, the record was satisfied by Cyrus Newkirk as president of the bank, instead of by Cashier Thompson, as stated by the Gazette this morning.

Instead of the money being remitted by the First National to the Salmon Falls bank it was used by the home bank and the interest paid on the \$3,500 to the Salmon Falls institution.

This is said to be the first questionable transaction traced directly to the door of President Newkirk, and Examiner Thorne stated this afternoon that it was possible that Mr. Newkirk had been imposed upon by Mr. Thompson.

Absconds "Jimmie's" Crimes.

We regret, says the Clinton Democrat, to see the following in the Tipton Times:

"The annual session of the Bank

ers' association met at Clinton this week, but one gentleman whose face has been prominent on former occasions will be absent. His name appears on the roll of the association as J. C. Thompson, of Sedalia. What cognomen he is wearing now is a secret."

The Democrat is far from condoning the crimes of Thompson, we detest and abhor the offenses with which he is charged and hope to see full justice meted out to him. But it is not fair to class him with the worthy and honorable business men who were here last week, and the Democrat will resist such an attempt as an unwarranted reflection upon our guests. They were men of honor, men of integrity. They, like others, were deceived in Thompson. They cannot be blamed for being somewhat keenly sensitive to jocular allusions of the above sort.

The Wounded Cashier.

A. Bascom Crawford, the ex-cashier of the defunct American National bank, who is under indictment for embezzlement and who shot himself with a 38-calibre pistol on Thursday, when it was ascertained that he could not at that time secure further bondsmen, is resting very uneasily in jail and it is apprehended that he cannot recover even if he would.

The projectile was cut from the back yesterday morning, but Mr. Crawford does not seem to have been materially improved by the operation. He is an abnormally nervous man and it is thought by some who know him well that he is anxious to shuffle off the mortal coil even under the tender manifestations of his devoted wife, Mrs. Noblett and other ladies who are in almost constant attendance upon him.

Crawford has since his incarceration been unable to retain nourishing food, or as is suspected, he declines it. With what view he practically fasts can only be in-

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fferred. He is in a precarious condition at the best and it is thought that he cannot live.

Col. Boyd, one of Crawford's attorneys, said this morning that another name had been added to the bond representing \$14,000, and Judge Phillips will be asked to let the wounded man be placed in more satisfactory quarters with the additional security.

For the Bank Wreckers.

Worst of all dishonesty is that kind that betrays confidence, says the Springfield Sunday Review. It is bad enough to break through locks at night and steal from a sleeper, but the man who is trusted and then betrays the faith that others have in him is far more despicable than the midnight burglar.

Hypocrisy is one of the vilest sins that afflict mankind. The concentrated conception of all the theories of the fountain head of evil stop at the hypocrite. This is why the banker who robs the people who gave over to him money for safe keeping is always most heartily despised.

The bank wrecker has played his infamy through hypocrisy. He has affected superb cleanliness of character, yet he has been the lowest order of small thief. And yet how rarely, if he has money left, does he get his just deserts.

Those Coffins, of the Indianapolis National bank, who systematically, persistently and effectually looted the concern, have no reason to complain of the sentence given them. There is nothing more despicable than the betrayal of a trust.

The public trusted these men with the officers of the bank, and they betrayed the confidence reposed in them, applied the funds of the bank to their own uses, broke up stockholders, a widowed depositor, and caused a widespread wreck. Now they are given but five and ten years in the penitentiary—one for ten years, the other for five.

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President of Clarksburg College. P. S. Creekmore, of Sherman, Texas, was elected president of Clarksburg college yesterday by the college board.

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The residence of Geo. R. Spillars, an M. K. & T. fireman, was burglarized last Saturday night and \$19.95 stolen.

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THE newspapers at Springfield are in a row over the case of Crawford, the embezzling bank cashier.

JAXON, the Canadian half-breed who is said to have been at the head of a plot to blow up the national capitol and loot the treasury, emphatically denies the story.

CORN is going to be king in Central Missouri this year, and a king, too, that will put money in everybody's pocket and make us all forget hard times, temporarily, at least.

THE poor old Gazette indulges in a graveyard whistle in the vain hope that such a noise will attract public attention from the vigorous protests which well-known republicans are making against the late boss-ridden convention.

YESTERDAY was the date fixed for the coal miners to resume work under the Columbus compromise, but very few returned to work. In some places the miners refused to accept the schedule and in other places the operators were dissatisfied with it.

THE republican organ is fulsome in its praise of Hon. J. H. Bothwell's "record" in the legislature. The fact, however, that the voters rejected Mr. Bothwell at the first opportunity after the record was made out-weighs many columns of praise and flattery.

HAVING defeated Mr. Bothwell in the eastern district, where the republican vote is the largest, the democracy will have no trouble in downing him in the county at large. This task is made all the easier by reason of the wire-pulling and bosses which has disgusted so many republicans.

IT is a good indication when business men are anxious to invest their capital in a city and the gentlemen who are asking for a franchise for an additional electric light plant certainly show a degree of confidence in the continued prosperity of Sedalia that should be encouraging to every citizen.

NOTHING will come of the effort a number of sincere republicans are making to induce the county committee to ask the resignation of the candidates selected by the "delegate" convention and order a new new deal. The bosses are in control and they will never consent to see the work that cost them so much time and trouble undone.

OUR republican friends are by no means as harmonious as they might be. The bosses who secured and managed the "delegate" convention are highly gratified at their victory over the masses, but they are becoming quite nervous at the prospect of running their favorites against the deep-seated and emphatic disapprobation of the convention's methods; then the free silver republicans are becoming troublesome after the encouragement they have received from Kansas and Ohio, and the well-known leaning of Brother Baldwin, the manager of the local organ, toward

populism is creating distrust in the ranks. Altogether the g. o. p. is in an unhappy frame of mind, and no wonder scores of the faithful are demanding a new deal.

THE terrible suffering now being endured by the striking miners and their families in some sections of the country, says the Free Press, makes it doubly desirable that they should come to their own relief by accepting the terms of compromise to which they are committed by their leaders. It is a bad time to be wasting millions in idleness.

EVERY encouragement should be offered to business men to make investments and start new enterprises. Every dollar thus invested is an evidence of faith in the future of the city and serves to encourage the timid and desponding. Let street improvement and public work of all kinds be pushed as rapidly as possible. It is only by an effort that inertia can be overcome and the revival of trade and industry be brought about.

IT is charged that a gigantic conspiracy to corner the coal market has been unearthed at Cincinnati. The prime movers are Chicago men and it is alleged that they have bribed influential men among the miners to urge them to continue the strike until October. This would greatly enhance the price of the coal the conspirators have on hand and enable them to extort millions from the consumers who are forced to buy coal at any price. Of course the suffering imposed upon the destitute families of the miners cuts no figure with the heartless schemers.

FATHER Dickman was apprised of the contents of the message, and in company with Chas. Keck left this morning for Lamonte, where they recovered the canine and returned home at 10:25 a.m.

The two men who had been arrested were released, as Father Dickman did not care to prosecute them, notwithstanding their act cost him several dollars.

CHARITABLE subscriptions. Subscribers out of work for two weeks are entitled to benefits ranging from 20 to 30 cents per day, about equal there in purchasing power to our dollar here. Benefits are paid only to persons innocently out of employment, and persons leaving their work wilfully and without just cause are debarred from benefits. Comfortable headquarters were provided at which the unemployed report twice daily and make themselves comfortable.—St. Joe Gazette.

RECOVERED HIS DOG.

A Little Local in the "Evening Democrat" Did the Work.

On Sunday night Rev. Father B. Dickman, of Sacred Heart church, had stolen from his premises the large and handsome pedigree dog that was expressed to him by a Kansas friend recently.

As the reverend gentleman prized the canine highly, he inserted an advertisement in the DEMOCRAT of yesterday, offering a reward for the recovery of the animal.

TWO hours after paper was out the DEMOCRAT received a dispatch from Lamonte, saying that the dog was there, and two suspicious men who had the brute in charge had been arrested.

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THAT DECISION.

BOND INVESTMENT COMPANIES' CHARTERS SUSTAINED BY THE SUPREME COURT.

A JEFFERSON CITY SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLIC HAS THE FOLLOWING REGARD TO THE DECISION OF THE STATE SUPREME COURT IN THE CASE AGAINST THE BOND INVESTMENT COMPANIES:

"There will be rejoicing among those interested in the welfare of the three bond investment companies doing business in the state. The suits instituted by the attorney general to vacate their charters was disposed of by the supreme court today. Judge Macfarlane filed the opinions and holds that these concerns were properly incorporated and their business conducted within the scope of their articles of association. From this view Judges Sherwood and Burgess dissent, while Judge Brace did not sit. The general law concerning corporations, after enumerating the various classes of business that may incorporate concludes with the words, 'and other purposes,' and this is deemed broad enough to let in bond investment companies. Concerning this matter Judge Macfarlane says:

"We are unable to see that there is even a suggestion upon the face of the certificate of incorporation that the proposed business is illegal either in its character or the manner of conducting it. There is nothing illegal in the issuance of bonds nor selling the same upon installments, if done in a lawful manner; and the manner and time of redemption or payments should naturally be left to the corporation issuing them. There is no suggestion on the face of the pleadings that respondents are abusing or misusing the franchises of the corporation for the purpose of conducting a lottery or other unlawful business, and until such abuse or misuse is shown, we cannot interfere to declare a forfeiture."

ATTORNEY General Walker says that he will proceed in a few days against these companies on the ground that they are lotteries. There are three of these organizations in the state, located at St. Louis, Nevada and Sedalia."

Y. M. C. A.

TOPICS OF INTEREST IN REGARD TO THE ASSOCIATION.

W. S. Ford, who is one of the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasts, won first prize in the one hundred yards' dash and running high jump at the firemen's picnic on Saturday.

REV. J. M. Van Wagner, who addressed the men's meeting Sunday, has the happy faculty of keeping his hearers in good humor while he is delivering an address. The one Sunday will be long remembered by the young men present for its helpfulness and informality. Mr. Van Wagner remained seated during the discourse, but was listened to with close attention.

The outing of the juniors on Sat-

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THE VARIOUS COMMITTEES ARE BEGINNING TO LAY PLANS FOR WINTER WORK, WHICH PROMISES TO BE BY FAR THE BEST SEASON'S WORK EVER DONE IN SEDALIA.

A MEMBER OF THE "BUSINESS MEN'S CLASS" RECENTLY REMARKED THAT "IT WAS WONDERFUL" HOW THE LIGHT EXERCISE IN THE GYMNASIUM HELPED HIM. LAST TUESDAY THERE WERE TWELVE IN THIS CLASS, WHICH IS A GOOD ATTENDANCE CONSIDERING THE WEATHER.

BANK PRESIDENT GOES TO THE PEN.

HELENA, Mont., June 19.—IN THE UNITED STATES COURT YESTERDAY H. F. Batcheller, the president of the failed Stockgrowers National Bank of Miles City, was sent to the penitentiary for five years. Batcheller was convicted several weeks ago for misappropriating the funds of the bank while its president. His application for a new trial was overruled.

NO. 1627.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10th, 1894—WHEREAS, William Latimer, a National bank examiner, lately authorized and directed by me to examine the affairs of the First National Bank of Sedalia, located in the city of Pettis County, Missouri, has, after due examination of its affairs, reported to me that the said bank is insolvent, and being satisfied that the said bank is insolvent and unable to pay its just and legal debts.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, James H. Eckels, Comptroller of the Currency, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by law and under the provisions of section 1 of an Act of Congress entitled "An Act Authorizing the Appointment of Receivers of National Banks, and for Other Purposes," approved June 30, 1864, do hereby appoint Edward W. Bard, former Receiver of the First National Bank of Sedalia, with all the powers, duties and responsibilities given to or imposed upon a Receiver under the provisions of the Revised Statutes of the United States which authorize the appointment of Receiver.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of office to be affixed to these presents, at the [L. S.] city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, this tenth day of May, A. D. 1894. JAMES H. ECKELS, Comptroller of the Currency.

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Pettis county horses are thus referred to in the Terre Haute, Ind., Express of Sunday, the 17th.

J. A. Ramey, with the three pacing brothers by Ashland Wilkes, dam Dame Wood, by Wedgewood, has three that will do to go to the race with. The 5-year-old John R. Gentry worked an easy half in 1:06, quarter in 32½ seconds, and was not extended at any part of the trip. Gentry is a remarkable horse. As a 3-year-old he made thirteen starts and never lost a heat, going into winter quarters with a record of 2:13½. Last year he was not campaigned and can this season be looked on as a very promising candidate for high honors. If he should fail there will still be honors plenty in his family, as his 2-year-old brother, Theodore Shelton, needs only to stay right to do the world's record trick.

Kicked by a Horse.

Mary May, the little daughter of J. D. May, who resides ten miles north of the city, was kicked by a horse on Sunday and was severely injured. She was unconscious and unable to move for twenty-four hours. The little girl was a little better today, but her recovery is still in doubt.

LET THE CONTRACT

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the curious things about the old mare's colts is that all those that follow her in color are trotters, while all the bays are pacers.

Baptist Missionary Society.

The Missouri Baptist Women's Missionary society began their annual meeting at the Baptist church in Warrensburg today and continue in session three days. The society was organized about twenty-two years ago, and represents a church membership in this state of about 135,000. From 100 to 150 delegates are expected to be in attendance.

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ing the Ingram property into a city hospital was referred to the proper committee.

After disposing of some minor routine matters the council went into executive session to discuss financial matters.

IT WAS A DRAW.

Fitzsimmons and Choynski Had It Red Hot Last Night.

Lack of generalship and over-training last night at the Boston theater lost Joe Choynski one of the greatest chances of his life. With a right-hander on the jaw he floored Bob Fitzsimmons in the third round of their contest. "Lanky Bob" took fully eight seconds to rise from his back and he was groggy when he regained his feet. Had Choynski been cooler and displayed better judgment, he could have knocked his man out, but eager to finish him, he went at him helter skelter and tired himself out in the endeavor to administer the coup de grace.

In a minute Fitzsimmons recovered from the shock of the blow, and fought his man to the ropes. Choynski had shot his best and thereafter he was but a chopping block in the hands of his stronger and more skillful opponent, and finally the police stepped up and stopped the contest.

It was a mercy for Joe that they did, for he was dazed and utterly unable to defend himself from Fitzsimmons' blows. Bob was tired out, too, but he would have finished Joe in a moment but for the interference of the police.

The fight was declared a draw at the end of the fifth round.

SENT TO COOPER COUNTY.

A Change of Venue Granted in the Silva Case.

Special Judge D. W. Shackelford, of Boonville, granted a change of venue yesterday, says today's St. Louis Republic, in the criminal court in the case of Louis J. Silva, charged with embezzling \$100,000 from the Rainwater-Bradford Hat company. The case was set for trial.

At the calling, Ashley C. Clover, attorney for Silva, presented an af-

fidavit asking for a change of venue on the grounds that the people of St. Louis were prejudiced against Silva, owing to certain newspaper publications since the case was last called, May 9.

The affidavits were made by Jas. R. Smith, a cork dealer, at Third and Walnut streets, and Arthur Horn, of the Sligo Iron company. Assistant Circuit Attorney Bishop, after reading the affidavit, said to the court that the attorney had notified him that they would take a change of venue as early as last March, and that the citizens became prejudiced since May 9 was rather strange.

Judge Shackelford said that the change of venue would be granted. He adjourned the case until 2 o'clock to consider to what county he would send the case.

There have been, so far, three judges in the case. Judge Henry Edmunds was disqualified on account of an alleged prejudice. Judge Hirzel, of St. Louis county, was appointed, but after his appearance a half dozen times he became tired of the continuances by consent of both parties, and withdrew. Judge Shackelford was then appointed. At 2 o'clock Judge Shackelford reconvened court and sent the case to Boonville, Cooper county, the date of trial being set on October 15.

Attend the Benefit Entertainment.

Help out the Rifles by attending the benefit entertainment to be given by the Sedalia Thespians, under the direction of Wm. Latour, at the opera house, Tuesday night, the 19th.

Latour's Thespians, benefit of the Sedalia Rifles. Throw in your mite and help the company.

Worth a Guinea a Box.
Stubborn tendencies to digestive troubles in children will always yield to a mild dose of

Beecham's Pills
(Tasteless)

25 cents a box
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LARGE, WELL-VENTILATED ROOMS.

TABLE UNSURPASSED
BEST \$2.00-A-DAY HOTEL IN CENTRAL MISSOURI.

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The Largest and Best Appointed Hotel in the City.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

County Judge.
WE are authorized to announce W. B. Higgins, of Flat Creek township, as a candidate for Judge of the County Court from the Western district, subject to the democratic primary.

County Treasurer.

WE are authorized to announce E. F. Scott, of Hughesville township, a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

County Collector.

WE are authorized to announce W. D. Wilson, a candidate for county collector, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

County Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce Robert E. Ferguson, of Bowling Green township, a candidate for county collector, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

County Auditor.

WE are authorized to announce W. Z. Baum, of Sedalia, Pettis county, as a candidate for county auditor, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

County Sheriff.

WE are authorized to announce R. E. Gutierrez, of Lantana township, a candidate for circuit clerk, subject to the democratic primary.

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WE are authorized to announce J. M. Durrell, of Washington township, a candidate for county collector, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

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WE are authorized to announce E. R. Marlin, a candidate for recorder of deeds, subject to the democratic primary.

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WEATHER REPORT

For the 24 Hours, Ending at 2 O'Clock This Afternoon by C. G. Taylor.

Cloudiness in tenths.	Temperature Max.	Min.	Precipitation in inches.
S 4	92°	63°	0.00

Barometer, 29.69.

RAILROAD RUMBLE.

Passenger Agent Townsend Refutes a Story.

HAS SLANDERED NO ONE.

Items of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of "Democrat" Readers.

Recent publications in some Arkansas papers indicate that some sort of trouble has arisen between the people of Helena and the passenger department of the Missouri Pacific railroad.

Dispatches to St. Louis papers related a story to the effect that a Mr. Van Etten had called on Mr. H. C. Townsend and asked for a reduction of rates for the interstate drill at Little Rock. He did not get all he asked for, and evidently returned home feeling that he had not been treated just right. He is quoted as having reported that Mr. Townsend said "Arkansas ought to get more republicans and decent people before asking favors of the Missouri Pacific." This, according to printed reports, aroused a feeling of indignation at Helena.

Mr. Townsend, who has been out of the city for several days, was asked yesterday by a Republic reporter what it all meant. He said, in substance, that it was too ridiculous to talk about.

He had never given utterance to any such sentiment, and he was quite sure some mistake had been made in quoting Mr. Van Etten. Nothing had occurred upon which such a statement could be based. What Mr. Van Etten asked for was passes for bands for the drill, and Mr. Townsend said he would make a rate of 1 cent a mile, the same rate as made for the soldiers attending the drill. This is the rate given in Illinois and other states for such occasions, and, according to Mr. Townsend, just about covers the actual cost of transportation. There was nothing like a controversy—simply a pleasant conversation lasting about 30 minutes—between Mr. Townsend and Mr. Van Etten, and the silly story that has given currency concerning it was a great surprise to Mr. Townsend, as well as to his friends.

No More A. M. or P. M.

J. H. Morrissey, of Chicago, has copyrighted a plan for a day and night time table. Figures on the light ground show the time from 6 o'clock in the morning until 5:55 o'clock in the evening, both inclusive. Figures on the dark ground show the time from 6 o'clock in the evening until 5:59 in the morning, both inclusive. This system has many essential advantages, as a passenger can tell at a glance when he arrives at or departs from any given point. It is valuable for use in working time cards. On long runs it shows immediately between

OUR STORE
AIN'T A TEN-ACRE LOT!

No! no! It is nothing more or less than the biggest thing in Sedalia or Central Missouri in the music line—and, well! yes! we say it—we are selling more goods, getting in more cash, more goods sold on monthly payments, and much more all round solid business than all the other music houses in Sedalia combined or separate. Freight bills talk—drafts and remittances are mighty good evidence and we are not running any *Ananias racket* or *Bluffing*. We simply do the business, and we do it right on the square. Our expenses are simply awful, so the other fellows say. Well, they are awful. Awful small for the amount of our business—and the fun of it is our expenses are paid in cash. We have no time for funny business—life is too short, so we put in our time, our best licks, and all we weigh or measure in height, length, breadth or muchness, attending to business at

Sharp's . .

CENTRAL MISSOURI MUSIC HOUSE.

No. 403 Ohio Street, Sedalia, Mo.

Dick Harland, who was an em-

***** The Excitement . . . *****

Created by the Great, Grand and Gigantic

Sacrifice Sale

THAT we inaugurate this week and continue until July 1st, will be intense. 15c Latest Style Wash Fabrics to be closed out at the ridiculously low price of 7 1/2c a yard, and hundreds of other bargains in the different departments at prices to harmonize with above. Call early in the sale to secure first choice. Prices not duplicated after lots advertised are sold.

WASH FABRICS.

The price-cutter got in his work here and as a result we place before our customers a complete assortment of fine Cotton Fabrics about one half of actual value.

What do you think of this?

7 1/2c Printed Mulls in beautiful patterns, satin stripe Ondine Suitings and Figured Batistes; that would be considered good value at 12 1/2c to 15c a yard. Remembrance prints 10c a yard.

7 1/2c Will buy choice of a line of 32-in. 12 1/2c Zephyr Ginghams, Duck Suitings, in dainty patterns, dots or stripes, 36-inch Penangs and Indian Dainties worth in each instance from 15c to 20c a yard.

12 1/2c Beautiful patterns in printed 3 1/2c Cotton Chaffies, light grounds, others sell at 5c—our reduced price 3 1/2c a yard.

15c At this price we are showing a line of Black Organandies with lace stripe worth 25c a yard.

HOSIERY and WOVEN UNDERWEAR.

At the lowest prices ever known.

Ladies' good quality Ribbed Vests, 5c worth 8 1/2c, to be given away at 5c each.

2 1/2c Ladies' Egyptian Cotton Vests, in 25c corn and white, price early in the season 35c—marked down to 25c.

10c Ladies' fast black Hose for 10c a pair—Better grade Hosiery at 15c, 25c, 35c and upwards.

7 1/2c Children's Black Ribbed Hose for 7 1/2c a pair—worth double.

BARGAINS IN FANS.

7 1/2c Beautiful silk hand-painted Fans in solid colors or fancy stripes, worth \$1.25—reduced to 7 1/2c.

A large assortment of Japanese Fans at 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and upwards.

Large size Palm Fans given away at 1c each.

Be on hand early to secure choice of the grandest line of bargains ever offered in Sedalia. You will find just what you need and just as advertised.

FRANK B. MEYER & BRO.,

Grand Central, 304-306 OHIO STREET.

WOOL DRESS GOODS.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS

At greatly reduced prices.

Men's Batbriggan Shirts, worth 40c—A big bargain at 25c.

50c Men's Fine French Batbriggan Shirts, all sizes, worth 75c, reduced to 50c.

48c Men's Unlaundred Linen Bosom Shirts, splendid value at 15c.

15c Men's Fast Black or Colored Half-Hose, worth 25c, your choice for 15c a pair.

SPECIAL VALUES IN WHITE GOODS.

MONEY-SAVERS IN LACE CURTAINS.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, sold early in the season for \$1.00—we give you choice for 60c a pair.

Bright colored curtains, worth \$1.45—\$2.25, reduced price \$1.45 a pair.

Beautiful Imported Design Curtains, extra length and width, former price \$3.50—reduced price \$2.25 a pair.

Poles and Fixtures free with each pair of Curtains at \$1.00 and upwards.

SPLENDID VALUES IN PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS.

90c Ladies' fine Satin Parasols, worth \$1.00—reduced down to 90c.

Gloria Silk Parasols with hand-handles, worth \$1.35—special price \$1.35.

\$3.00—Silk Parasols in black, brown and navy, natural wood or Dresden ball handles, reduced from \$4.50 to \$3.00.

SPECIAL IN CORSETS.

48c Just opened up a case of Warner Bros' Summer Corsets and marked them down to 48c each.

LOW PRICES IN LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.

PERSONAL.

We carry a full line of Net Top Bonnets, Point d'Ireland and Venice lace, lace collars, lace cuffs, lace edging, lace 5c, 8 1/2c, 12 1/2c up to \$1.00 a yard.

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At our new home, 123 Ohio street.
New Goods have been added to
our large stock of : : : :

Boots and Shoes .

For the next ten days we will make special low prices
on all goods. Come and see us in our new room. We
will not only make your visit pleasant, but profitable.

KUESEL'S, 123 Ohio Street

FIRST DOOR NORTH BANK OF COMMERCE

Repair Department Under the supervision of George J. Cundiff.
All kinds repairing neatly and promptly done.

DREW THE LINE.

A Judge Forestalls the Introduction of
Incompetent Testimony.

"Some years ago," said ex-Attorney General Miller to a reporter for the Indianapolis Sentinel, "I was trying a case up in Whitley county, where things are not conducted with the formality that is the rule down here. It was a terrible hot day in August and the sun was cutting across lots to get at us. We had stood it bravely for three days and after the testimony had been all given to the jury we began with our arguments. Opposed to me was a man who weighed something over 200 pounds, and it got so hot that he began to sizzle. It came his turn to address the jury about the middle of the afternoon, and he began with a great big cabbage leaf sitting upon his head. As he became more and more enthused the cabbage leaf fell off, and then, as he began to warm up in his work, the only relief he could secure was by the removal of his wardrobe. As he started in to tell what an unprincipled villain the defendant really was he jerked off his coat and threw it on a bench. As he dived into the 'res gestae' he shed his vest. The motive for the crime brought his collar off with a jerk, and as he, in vivid words, began picturing the scene at the final moment one suspender slipped from his shoulder. It really began to get interesting."

"The court, as well as all the others in the room, had been dividing attention between the oratory and the shedding of apparel, and as that suspender slipped from the shoulder of the aroused orator the judge concluded that it was time that something should be done. He coughed once or twice and then remarked quietly:

"Counsel in presenting his case to the jury must not interpose anything that was not brought out in the evidence."

The animated lawyer's fingers were nervously clutching at the other suspender, and as he heard the interruption he stopped in the midst of a concatenation of adjectives. He hadn't understood exactly.

"Your honor, I trust I shall be given sufficient liberty to expose—"

"The court interrupted him. You will be permitted in argument to expose everything connected with the crime as brought out by the evidence, but the court feels that you have shown a disposition to digress materially. You will please confine yourself more closely by adjusting your suspenders."

"And then he understood."

Aurora Floyd

Is a strong play. Dramatized from the novel by Mrs. M. A. Braden. Opera house June 19th. Admission 50c. No charge for reserve seats.

Official Council Proceedings.

SEDALIA, Mo., May 25th, 1894. / COUNCIL CHAMBER. Acting Mayor Deckman presiding. All members present except Councilman Dugan.

Under the head of unfinished business the following resolution was read:

Be it resolved by the council of the city of Sedalia, Mo., as follows, to-wit: That we do hereby command the following persons to hold such offices as are designated after their names: John Yeop, John A. Glover, F. Gresham, E. J. Love, H. J. Meyers, J. R. McKenzie, Jno. Creasy and Horace White, colored policemen; L. E. Freimel, sanitary policeman; S. P. Shuckles, merchants policeman.

On motion of Hansberger, duly seconded.

On motion of Anderson, duly seconded.

On motion of Olmsted, duly seconded and carried, the matter of extending water mains at cemetery 220 feet west, also to extend water mains on Cooper street, west of Main avenue, was referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

On motion of Hansberger, duly seconded and carried, the council adjourned to meet Monday, May 28th, 1894, at 8 o'clock p.m.

Ed Horen, City Clerk.

Forest park is in full bloom. Go out and see it.

Keep eyes on McClellan and buy your wall paper of him.

M. V. Sweet sells boiling meat 3 cents a pound. Tel. 226.

Evidently Boatright sells the lowest. Try him at 1022 East Third.

Go and take your friends to the country. Open cars every half hour via the Forest park line.

Two baby deers, beauties, at Forest Park. Take your children out to see them. Cars run every 15 minutes.

Wanted.

An experienced salesman to canvass city and country trade in a specialty line. Reference required. Address A., this office.

Mineral Waters

Sweet Springs, natural by the gallon, Carbonated and Ginger Ale in quarts.

McAllister, sulphur, salt and Crystal Springs, lime, alum, by the gallon.

FRANK KRUEGER, 112 Osage.

Out Walking.

While out walking drop into the West Side Pharmacy and get a glass of delicious ice cream soda, 5 cents. Third and Osage.

Liquors, Wines, Beer.

The gallon trade, selling, shipping in jugs, kegs, cases, from half a gallon up, a specialty.

FRANK KRUEGER, 112 Osage.

Attend the Benefit Entertainment.

Help out the Rifles by attending the benefit entertainment to be given by the Sedalia Thespians, under the direction of Wm. Latour, at the opera house, Tuesday night, the 19th.

Bargains in Vehicles.

Road wagons, \$35; former price \$45; farm wagons, \$50 to \$75; buggies, from \$65 up; spring wagons, from \$50 up. All kind of wagons made to order. Horse shoeing and repair work a specialty, at E. J. Kiesling's, 314 West Second street.

Dissolution Notice.

The copartnership heretofore existing between W. M. Harris and M. E. Burton, under the firm name Sedalia Candy Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The firm name will not be changed, and the business will be continued by W. M. Harris, who assumes all liabilities and collects all accounts due the firm.

[Signed] W. M. HARRIS,
M. E. BURTON.

Prof. Neil.

government chemist, writes: I have carefully analyzed your "Royal Ruby" bought by me in the open market, and certify that I found the same absolutely pure and well aged. This wine is especially recommended for its health-restoring and building up properties; it strengthens the weak and restores lost vitality; particularly adapted for convalescents, the aged, nursing mothers and those reduced and weakened by over-work and worry. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby;" \$1 per quart bottles, pints 60 cts. Sold by A. S. McGowan.

NOTICE

To East Sedalians.

From this day on until the 20th of June, the entire stock of goods, comprising boots, shoes, furnishing goods and clothing, owned and run by Hart Bros., 909 East Third, will be sold regardless of cost, for cash, preparatory to removing to our Ohio street store, No. 120. This is a rare chance to secure bargains. As the stock must be reduced.

J. K. HART'S OLD STAND,

909 East Third.

Parties desiring a good stand and a first-class stock of goods and fixtures can purchase the entire stock.

Apply at 120 Ohio.

Dr. T. G. Bracking.

Physician and Surgeon, treats all diseases and injuries of women, nervous and other stubborn diseases, tumors, cancers, ulcers, fistulas, hemorrhoids, fissures, strictures, ruptures, eye, ear, throat, chest, and all surgical and chronic ailments, crooked limbs, &c., with extraordinary success! Ruptures and varicose veins, radically cured without knife and little pain!

Why be experimented with by either transient or local "quacks" at such great hazards and waste of money, when you can secure the skillful services of such a master and scientific expert as Dr. Bracking, whose wonderful cures are so well known all over this continent and the British Isles, (when all else had failed?)

No one should be misled by the traducing and false statements and insinuations of his little "sore-headed" enemies, who fear his superior skill as a rival. He has an abundance of the highest endorsements of the nation (medical and otherwise,) and fearing no rivals, he is fully prepared to compete fairly with all. Office in Hoffman Building, Sedalia, Mo.

Shoot Luke, or Give Up the Gun!

Here is the middle of May, and 10,000 Suits unsold.

What Does It Mean?

Why, that Blair Bros. are going to cut loose and get the money.

So to begin we shave off \$4.00 on \$20.00 Suits.

So to begin we shave off 3.00 on 18.00 Suits.

So to begin we shave off 2.00 on 14.00 Suits.

6,275 Shirts Unsold.

It means a reduction of 25c on all Shirts over 75c. It means a reduction of 15c on all Shirts under 50c.

No limit to reduction on Hats. Everybody knows that we have ten times the stock that any house in Sedalia carries, and we want the money out of them. The fact is that Blair Bros. were born in Arkansas for a specific purpose. It was Blair Bros. that brought down the Glaciers; it was Blair Bros. that brought down Clothing, Hats, Shirts and Drawers. Our missionary work is not complete; we are here to do business on top of the table.

No Misrepresentation

No Monkeying

No Credit

Your money talks, and all you have to do with Blair Bros. is to indicate. Our skulls are not more than 2, 2½ or 3 inches thick. Go to

Blair Bros. for Clothing.

Wood's Opera House.

Tuesday Eve., June 19th.

.....Benefit of the

Sedalia Rifles

.....Given by the

The Thespians

When will be produced the Sterling sensational play

"AURORA FLOYD" or "Twice Married."

ADMISSION, 50c. No extra charge for reserved seats.

P. S.—Arrangements made to ice the opera house; make it cool and pleasant.

W. T. HUTCHINSON, President.

JOHN D. CRAWFORD, Vice-President.

WM. H. POWELL, Jr., Cashier.

G. CRAWFORD, Ass't Cashier.

No 1971.

Citizens' National Bank,

SEDALIA, MISSOURI. (Established 1872.)

Cash Capital, paid in,

\$100,000.00.

Surplus fund,

\$35,000.00.

A general banking business transacted. Collections receive prompt attention.

Liberal accommodations to depositors.

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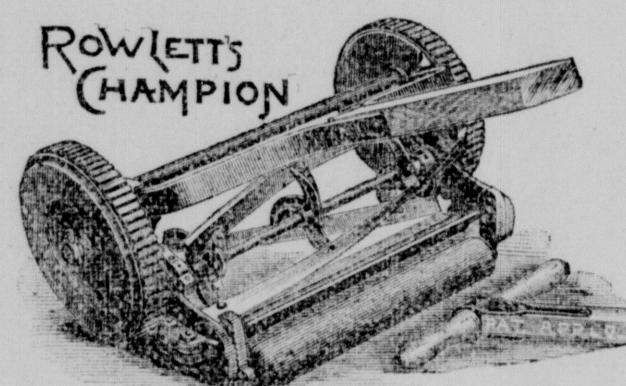
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Announcement Extraordinary Great - Removal - Sale.

Preparatory to occupying our new building we are going to make some prices on Hardware, Tinware, Graniteware and everything in our immense line, that will astonish the natives. Remember this applies to anything and everything in our store. We do this in order to keep from removing the stock to our new store, and the prices we now make will be good only from June 18th to 26th. As a starter we offer

ROWLETT'S CHAMPION LAWN MOWERS



Reputed to be the best produced in America, as follows:

12 inch	\$2.85.
14 inch	3.35.
16 inch	3.85.

Shepard's Lightning Ice Cream Freezers, 2 qt. at \$1.30, 3 qt. at \$1.55, 4 qt. at \$1.90, 6 qt. at \$2.45, 8 qt. at \$3.15.

White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers, 3 qt. at \$1.80, 4 qt. at \$2.20, 6 qt. at \$2.80, 8 qt. at \$3.60.

Daisy Iron Frame Wringers at \$1.50, Superior Iron Frame Wringers at \$1.60, Rival Wood Frame Wringers at \$1.50, Novelty Wood Frame Wringers at \$1.75.

A reduction of 10 to 15c will be made on every piece of Graniteware in our store. This is a splendid opportunity for every housewife in Sedalia to stock up on Kitchen Utensils.

On Tinware we will almost make your head swim.

2 1 pt. Cups for 5c, 1 qt. 5c, 2 qt. Covered Buckets, 5c, 3 qt., 8c, 4 qt. 10c, 6 qt. 15c. Proportionately low prices will apply to every article in the Tinware line.

On Hay Forks, 4 tine strapped, regular price is 75c. Our price will be 50c. Proportionately low prices on every kind of Forks, Hoes, Scythes, Snaths, Rakes, &c.

On Shovels and Spades, regular 75c goods will go at 50c, 85c and 90c goods will go at 60c, and the same discount to apply on every tool of this kind.

REMOVAL SALE PRICES

This reduction not only applies to the articles mentioned above, but to any and everything in our store, such as Locks, Butts, Latches, Hinges, Barn-Door Hangers, and all articles in builders' hardware. Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Saws, Adzes, Files, Chisels, Augers, Braces, Planes and everything in tools. Scoops, Shovels, Post-Diggers, Picks, Mattocks, Hoes, Cross-Cut Saws, Post Mauls, Grub Hoes, Bolts, Barb and Plain Wire, Nails, Staples and everything in farm supplies. Table and Pocket Cutlery, Butcher Knives, Kitchen Knives, Bread Knives, Plated Knives and Forks, Carving Sets, Spoons of all kinds, Scissors, Shears, Razors, and all other goods in this line.

Remember this sale lasts but one week, ending Tuesday, June 26th, when we commence removing our stock to our new headquarters, one door east of our present location.

D. H. SMITH HARDWARE COMPANY, 101-103 East Main Street.

BUNCOED BY A WOMAN.

A Man Gave Change to a Woman WhoAppealed to Him.

A neat little bunco game was worked on a St. Louis traveling man last evening about 8 o'clock on Union avenue, near the union depot, says the Kansas City Journal. The gentleman, who refused to give his name to the depot officials, stated that he had been to the train to send his wife home and then returned to the Blossom house to get his grips as he was going out on another train. As he passed up the avenue a well dressed and attractive young woman stopped him and in the most polite manner asked him to give her change for a \$2 bill. She held the bill in her fingers and the favor was so simple that he took out the required amount and handed it to her. She received it with a charming smile and then coolly placing it in her pocket bade him good evening and started up one of the stairways.

"Hold on, you haven't given me the bill," said the St. Louis man.

"I didn't agree to; I asked you for the change and you gave it to me, so that I don't owe you anything," exclaimed the woman, with another killing smile and she closed the door and was lost to view.

When the gentleman was telling the story to the depot officials he stated that he was at one time tempted to seize her and call for an officer, but he didn't care to be mixed up in a street scrape with a woman and so he let her go and started up one of the stairways.

"I've been on the road for nearly twenty years and then got worked on as soft a game as was ever put up," was the way he stated it to the officials. He furnished the police with a description of the woman.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

The Game of Youthful Trainwreckers Blocked at Holden.

"Simmie" Simpson, Earl Mittong, John Johnson and Chas. Baker, lads whose ages range from seventeen to twenty-one years, were arrested at Holden Sunday for placing obstructions on the track of the Missouri Pacific railway. The charge is a serious one, and the boys are out on \$1,000 bond each.

It seems that a gang of section

hands from Kingsville and Pleasant Hill came down to Holden, says the Warrensburg Star, to get their checks cashed Saturday night, it being pay-day with the Missouri Pacific. The section men traveled by means of a hand-car, which was side-tracked at Holden. The section men proceeded to fill up on Holden bug juice, and were soon in excellent condition for mischief. They visited the disreputable houses on Boiler avenue, north of the track, commonly known as "Smoky Row," and found the lads above named already there. The section men were quarrelsome and soon the entire crowd of men and boys were involved in a free-for-all fight. In the melee all the furniture in a house owned by May — was broken and smashed into bits, and the Holden young men got decidedly the worst of the encounter.

The boys left Smoky Row and went west on the Missouri Pacific tracks to a convenient point, where rails and obstructions were placed on the right or way for the purpose of wrecking the section men's handcar.

In the meantime Night Watchman Fisher got wind of the arrangements, and went to the place where the track was obstructed, arriving just in time to save a heavily loaded freight train from a serious wreck. The obstructions were removed, and the boys placed under arrest. The Missouri Pacific company have taken hold of the matter in earnest and intend to prosecute the boys to the full extent of the law.

Assaulted With a Hoe.

The charge is made that Samuel Redcay, foreman on the B. G. Wilkerson farm, assaulted John Stewart with a hoe last Friday and injured him quite seriously. It is said that Redcay will be arrested as soon as Stewart is able to file complaint against him.

United in Wedlock.

David Barnhart, of the M. K. & T. shops, and Miss Maggie Price, formerly a compositor at the Bazoo office, were united in wedlock Sunday evening by Rev. J. G. Wade.

A Picnic at the Park.

The Montgomery Street M. E. church Sunday school will picnic at Forest park next Saturday.

See Latour in Steve Hargraves, "The Softy," for the Rifles' benefit, June 19th.

WE'VE BEEN TOLD SO.

But Possibly the Information is Not Correct.

Perfumed garters are among the luxurious devices by which the asthetic girl shows she is more daintily clad than most folks. Possibly she has several pairs, being careful to wear yellow ones with black hosiery and black ones with tan. These garters are made from watered ribbon about an inch and a half wide and solid silver buckles if just the garter is linked, or both buckles and stocking clasps if a supporter is preferred. The ribbon doubled over a layer of cotton and sachet powder, and the wearer, if very fastidious, may have her name engraved on the silver buckles, so if she should lose there may be some chance of its return. Bridal garters must be made of white frilled elastic with silver or even jeweled buckles and knots of real lace.

Sedalia and Warrensburg.

G. W. Barnett, an attorney of Sedalia, is attending court here today. J. West Goodwin, of the Bazoo, accompanied by his wife, spent Sunday at Perte Springs.

George Bichsel, brother of Mrs. Laura Okey, and Miss Maud Adams, of Sedalia, spent Sunday in the city.

Mrs. J. H. McManigal, of Sedalia, arrived on the evening train Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Ward.

Miss Maye Rucker went to Sedalia to meet her sister, Mrs. Leary, who is on her return home from a several weeks' visit in Bloomington, Ill.

A crowd consisting of Misses Mary and Susie Thomson, Sallie Major, Mary Parrish, and Messrs. Walter Morey, Sam Johnson, E. B. and W. V. McClure, all of Sedalia, came up and spent yesterday evening at Perte Springs. After an enjoyable evening of music and conversation, and supper at Hotel Minnewawa, they returned home on the 11 o'clock train.—Warrensburg Journal-Democrat.

Brought Here for Burial.

The remains of Mrs. Frank Leibee, who died in St. Louis Sunday evening, were brought to Sedalia and the burial services conducted at the Christian church this afternoon.

Go to Forest park today. Open cars every half hour in the afternoon.

Aurora Floyd.

The strongest play ever produced by the Thespians, June 19th.

Smoke the National Golden Rod, the best 10c cigar in the city. Manufactured by C. Honkomp, 218 Lamine street.

For Rent.

A nicely furnished front room, with alcove; young men preferred. Inquire at 217 East Sixth.

Fine Oranges.

A fine lot of Mediterranean Sweets, the finest orange on the market, at the Candy Palace.

Wanted - Traveling Solicitors. None but experienced men need apply.

MISSOURI MERCANTILE ASS'N, Room 306, Hoffman Bl'dg.

Fine Pasture

At Brown Springs; living water. Take your stock there. Also good pasture at Forest Park. Apply on premises.

St. Louis Spring Races.

The M. K. & T. will sell tickets at reduced rates to St. Louis. For rates, dates of sale and limits, call on

H. L. BERRY,

Ticket Agent.

Killed the Horses.

While driving to his home near Hazel Hill, Johnson county, from church Sunday during a thunderstorm, lightning struck the horses attached to George Shores' vehicle and instantly killed them. Shores was unhurt.

Wanted.

An active agent in each county in the United States, to solicit subscriptions for the Twice-a-Week Republic. A liberal commission will be paid to hustlers. Address, Superintendent of Circulation, THE REPUBLIC, St. Louis, Mo.

Denver and Return \$17.85.

Tickets will be good going and returning only on the dates given below.

Tickets sold June 23d and 24th good to return only on June 30, July 10th or 27th.

Tickets sold July 21st and 22d good to return only on July 27th, August 2d or 25th.

Tickets sold August 10th and 11th good for return only on August 19th and 25th or September 13th.

H. L. BERRY, Ticket Agent.

FOR SALE . . .

Announcement

I have concluded to make sale of the mill grounds, consisting of two acres, as a whole or in part, dividing north from the Missouri Pacific railway, together with the mill and elevator—this ought to be a valuable manufacturing location—or I would make sale of the buildings to be removed off the grounds. The material consists of 235 perches of stone, 70 M brick, 5 M ft. dimension oak, 10 M ft. dimension pine, and 12 M ft. flooring, siding and board, may be more, at one-half the price of new, or would entertain a bid.

Also one 12-horse P. engine, horizontal, 1-50 in. exhaust fan, one large steam heat fruit evaporator, 16 improved apple pears, and other outfit, all in good order.

Also one-third undivided interest in 3 acres of ground and 3 dwelling houses in the city of Aurora, Mo.

Also will rent or sell my fine brick dwelling on the N. W. corner of Seventh and Washington streets. No incumbrance on any of this property.

Apply to

J. M. BYLER.

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GRADING. The cure by DR. RODRIGUEZ Spanish Treatment is a great NERVE TONIC and BLOOD BUILDER bringing back the pink glow to pale complexion and restoring FIRE TO YOUTH to the patient. By mail, \$1.00 per bottle of 6 fl. oz. with a guarantee to cure or refund the money. Book free.

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